



1998 Uniform Crime Report

Domestic Violence Victims



Definitions: Domestic Violence is physical abuse committed by a spouse, a former spouse, boyfriend or girlfriend, or a cohabitant upon another person. Victims are the injured party of the offense.

47,499 Domestic Violence Victims were reported to the Michigan UCR Program in 1998

Victim Information

Age of Victim:

01-09	1,274
10-19	5,551
20-29	16,732
30-39	14,933
40-49	6,675
50-59	1,408
60-69	360
70-79	131
80-89	50
90-99 & unknown	385

Race of Victim:

White	32,379
Hispanic**	259
Black	13,793
Indian	81
Asian/ Pacific Islander	96
Other	31
Unknown	860

Sex of Victim:

Male	9,733
Female	37,592
Unknown	174

Relationship of Victim to Offender:

Spouse	16,065
Common Spouse	1,699
Boyfriend/ Girlfriend	22,923
Homosexual Relationship	184
Ex-Spouse	1,953
Police*	35

Weapon:

Handgun	394
Long Gun (Rifle, Shotgun)	200
Other Gun	73
Knife/ Cutting Instrument	1,305

Family	4,240	Blunt Object	830
Unknown	400	Motor Vehicle*	271
		Personal Weapon	26,833
Injury:		Chemical Substance	29
Fatal	44	Explosives	8
Incapacitating Injury	349	CS Gas**	0
Non-Incapacitating Injury	8,045	Other	3,163
Possible Injury	16,070	None	5,992
No Injury	17,353	Unknown	940

*MICR Category Only

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